

# NOISE, BANGING BREAK UP M'CARTHY PROBE

## Legion Parades; Will Last 10 or 12 Hours

### Convention to Seek Prompt Start of UMT

Resolutions to Be Presented at Closing Session Thursday

By DAYTON MOORE

United Press Staff Correspondent  
WASHINGTON (U)—Some 75,000 members of American Legion units gathered here to march, ride and strut up historic Pennsylvania and Constitution avenues today in a gigantic 10 or 12-hour parade.

Veterans of two World Wars and the Korean fighting were joined by youths of junior Legion groups and women of the Auxiliary for the colorful spectacle highlighting the Legion's four-day 36th annual convention.

Units of all the armed services headed the order of march. There were some 300 musical outfits, many headed by shapely majorities. States showed off their prize products in floats—such as Idaho potatoes and California oranges.

Forty and Eight, the Legion's fun-making group, sent motorized locomotives and fire engines with ear-splitting whistles and clanging bells from throughout the nation.

Leaders Call for UMT

Before the marching got underway this afternoon, Legion leaders arranged to work in secret on a number of resolutions of policy for the next year. The proposed policy mandates called for prompt establishment of Universal Military Training, breaking of diplomatic and trade relations with Russia and its Red satellite nations, and continuance of government hospitalization of veterans with non-service connected ailments.

The resolutions will be submitted to the convention Wednesday and at the closing session Thursday.

There was a strong probability that a resolution would be offered blasting the American Medical Association for its criticism of the veterans hospitalization program.

Address Bolsters Stand

Legion leaders gained confidence on the UMT issue from President Eisenhower's speech Monday. He said a new reserve program, including the UMT principle, will be given number one priority next year.

A floor fight loomed over the membership ban that Forty and Eight has against Negroes and Orientals.

### Illinois Family Dies in Auto Crash

ATOKA, Okla. (U)—Roy Lee Head, 47, of Collinsville, Ill., his wife and daughter, were killed early today in a collision on U. S. 69 about 12 miles north of here.

Head died after arrival at a Coal-gate, Okla., hospital. His wife, Frances, 45, and the couple's daughter, Carol, 14, died instantly, highway patrolmen reported.

Head was employed by the Western Adjustment and Inspection Bureau, located at the Broadway Hotel in East St. Louis, Ill.

Head was representative for Western in the Harrisburg area until six or seven years ago.

## Bulletins

WASHINGTON (U)—Secretary of State John Foster Dulles today called for an emergency meeting of the North Atlantic Treaty Council to weigh the "tragedy" caused by French rejection of the European army plan (EDC).

BOSTON (U)—A tropical hurricane swept across heavily-populated Long Island today and into New England, smashing heavy seas against docks and beaches, toppling trees and power lines, and sweeping small craft from their moorings.

EVANSTON, Ill. (U)—The second World Council of Churches ended its history-making Assembly today with a call to all Christians to "rejoice in hope."

## MINES

Sahara 16 works.  
Peabody 43 works.  
Blue Bird 6 and 8 work.  
Carmac works.

## Thomas Lathan, Charged With Murdering Aged Vienna Woman, Flees Jail

VIENNA, Ill. (U)—Thomas Lathan, 31, Vienna, escaped from the Johnson county jail today after being brought here to face a charge of murdering Mrs. Maggie Gray, 82-year-old Vienna resident.

Lathan, indicted Aug. 16 by a grand jury here, broke out of jail during the noon hour and Sheriff Dave George immediately formed a large searching party to hunt the escaped man.

Authorities did not disclose how Lathan made his escape.

The indicted man was brought here this morning from Williamson county, where he had been held since his arrest.

The Vienna Negro is charged with fatally beating Mrs. Gray after breaking into her home Aug. 2, where her 18-year-old granddaughter also was beaten. Mrs. Gray died 10 days later of injuries received in the attack.

Lathan was to have conferred with his attorneys today before being taken into circuit court to make his plea.

Lathan also has been indicted along with Ardel Johnson of Vienna on charges of assault with intent to murder, assault with intent to rape, burglary with intent to murder, and burglary with intent to rape.

## HTHS Graduates Get Transcripts to Attend Universities and Colleges

Twenty-four members of the 1954 HTHS graduating class have requested transcripts of their records sent to Southern Illinois university and ten have requested transcripts mailed to the University of Illinois, local school officials revealed yesterday.

The 1954 graduates indicating they planned to enroll at SIU, Carbondale, are: Harry Boyd, Mollie Jean Brinkley, Marjorie Zimmer, Carole Thaxton, Sally Russell, William E. Hull, John K. Berry, Ronnie Riegel, Sam Stafford, Richard Gidcomb, Jean Keltner, Patsy Trammel.

Also, Ronald Bean, Clark Vineyard, Yulondia Quick, William E. Perheimer, Phyllis Marlene Cotton, Bill Braddock, Glendon Vaughn, Dorothy Fulkerson, Jack J. Harper, Carolyn J. Wilson, Dallas Williams and Eugenia Gollier.

Those planning to enroll at University of Illinois are: Don Upchurch, Ann Funkhouser, W. T. Westbrook, Mary S. Taylor, Betty Butner, John H. Lee, Charles Womack, Frank Santy, John Shepherd, and Frank Chase.

Former HTHS students also requesting transcripts sent to SIU and U. of I. are: Virgil Olinboni, Vary Jane Wilgus (Rice), Hazel Sunday and Robert Hays, SIU, and David Baker and James Armstrong, U. of I.

School officials listed transcripts of other 1954 graduates sent as follows: James Gowan and Thomas Cole, Wabash college; Carol Richmond, Fontbonne college; John Wiley, Purdue university; June Blackard, Indiana university; Ed Miller, University of Tampa; Hazel Rice, Park college, Parkville, Mo.; David Patterson, Milligan college, Tenn.

Also, Bob Beal, Memphis State college; Beverley Mark, Ft. Wayne Bible college; Richard Norris, Murray State Teachers college; Shirley Karnes, McMurry; Carolyn Render and Marilyn Ragsdale, McKendree college; and Regina McCormick and Dolores McDonald, St. Mary's Hospital school of nursing, Evansville.

Transcripts of other former students are being sent to various schools.

## Mrs. R. W. Davis Dies

Mrs. Frances Jane Davis, 54, known to her friends as Fannie, died at 10:10 last night at her home, 1210 South Roosevelt. She was the wife of Robert W. Davis.

Surviving are her husband, Robert, and two children: Robert Patterson, Pine Bluff, Ark., and Mrs. Al (Mary) Rodgers of Harrisburg; three brothers, Carl Glen Porter, Harrisburg, Archie Porter, Oakley, Kansas, and Homer Porter, San Diego, Calif.; two half brothers, James Porter, Paducah, Ky., and Jarvis Porter, New Orleans, La., and five grandchildren.

The funeral will be Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the First Christian church with the pastor, Rev. Glen Daugherty, officiating, assisted by Rev. Reynolds, pastor of the Roselane Christian church. Burial will be in Sunset Lawn cemetery. The body will remain at the Gibbons funeral chapel until time for the funeral.

## Grant Sanders, 82, of Near Vienna Dies

Grant Sanders, 82, died Monday morning at his home south of Vienna. The body is now at the Murrie funeral home awaiting completion of funeral arrangements.

## Reeder Rites at 2 p. m. Tomorrow At Carrier Mills

The funeral of Jimmy Blain Reeder, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Reeder of Carrier Mills, who was fatally injured in a highway accident yesterday at 8:45 a. m. south of Carrier Mills, will be held Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the Church of God on Main street in Carrier Mills.

Rev. F. R. Harrowood, Benton, assisted by the pastor, Rev. Carl Hanvey, will conduct the services. Burial will be in the Salem cemetery.

He is survived by his parents, James Reeder and Vivian Middleton Reeder; one brother, Charles Wayne at home; a grandmother, Mrs. Della Middleton, Carrier Mills; and a grandfather, Elder Aaron Reeder, Harrisburg RFD 2.

Flower girls will be the M. Y. F. of the Methodist church and the senior girls.

The body lies in state at the Miller funeral home in Carrier Mills.

The condition of Loy Lee Rice and Terry Guldage, companions of Jim Reeder in the automobile at the time of the collision, was described as "improved" today by the attending physician, Dr. Arthur Franks, at Lightner hospital.

Dr. Franks said Rice had a contusion of the breast bone and possibly a fracture, but his condition had cleared and he would no longer consider him in a serious condition.

However, even though Guldage has shown improvement, he is still in a serious condition and not able to be moved, Dr. Franks said.

The inquest into the Reeder death will be at seven o'clock tonight at the Carrier Mills city hall.

## Death Holds Up Start of Classes At Carrier Mills

The Carrier Mills Community high school will not start until Sept. 2—one day later than originally announced—Principal Warren Jennings has announced.

The opening of CMCHS has been postponed due to the death of Jim Reeder, who would have been a member of this year's senior class, and whose funeral will be held Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 1, the original date for the start of the school term.

Principal Jennings stated school would start Thursday morning, with all students meeting in the school gymnasium at 8:15 a. m. and that there will be a full day's schedule, with school dismissed at 3:30 p. m.

School buses will operate on regular schedule Thursday, the announcement revealed.

It was learned this morning that the Carrier Mills grade school also will postpone its opening one day and school will start Thursday and not Wednesday, as previously announced.

Delbert Waller, grade school principal, stated that school would open at 8:45 Thursday morning and remain in session all day.

The buses will operate on a full, regular schedule Thursday.

## Gets Transfusion So Lie Detector Can Work

BRAZIL, Ind. (U)—Mrs. Peggy Roper, 22, Centralia, Ill., was given a blood transfusion so she could take a lie detector test.

Mrs. Roper, arrested on charges of forgery, adultery and falsifying a hotel reservation, was taken to Indianapolis for a lie test Monday when it was discovered her blood pressure was too low for accurate results.



MISS SUSAN ANN BAKER, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Baker, among 31 graduates from the Protestant Deaconess hospital as follows: Grade 1—Section 1, 19; Section 2, 18; Grade 2—Section 1, 23; Section 2, 23; Grade 3—33; Grade 4—25; Grade 5—23; Grade 6—33; Grade 7—34 and Grade 8—23. Enrollment at Dunbar school totaled 18 in all grades.



AEC BILL SIGNED—President Eisenhower seems pleased with his signature which he has just affixed to the atomic energy bill, opening the door for private industry to become a full partner in peaceful development of the atom. At left is Sen. William Knowland, majority leader. Signing ceremony took place in Washington. Latin motto reads—"Gentle in method, strong in performance." (NEA Telephoto)

## Still for West Pact, Declares Mendes-France

EDC Killed When Vote on Ending Debate Passes 319-264

By EDWARD M. KORRY

United Press Staff Correspondent  
PARIS (U)—Premier Pierre Mendes-France sought today to convince his dismayed Allies that France had not abandoned the Western alliance in killing the European Defense Community (EDC).

Mendes-France drove to his country hideout at Marly late Monday night after a bitterly-divided National Assembly voted 319 to 264 to end debate on EDC as a subject unworthy of further notice.

"It is in the Atlantic framework that new solutions should be studied," Mendes-France said in a declaration issued from his hideout. "And this time we will not waste three years."

Three years ago France proposed the EDC setup and signed the treaty in 1952 but delayed taking action.

## EDEN HURRIES HOME TO STUDY SITUATION

LONDON (U)—Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden announced today he will be unable to attend the South-east Asian defense conference in Manila next month because of "urgent and important" problems raised by French rejection of the European army plan.

Eden rushed back to London from a weekend in the country today to study the situation caused by French Assembly action Monday night in killing the European Defense Community (EDC) treaty.

American and British officials opened consultations at the Foreign Office on an alternative for granting West Germany its sovereignty and rearming Germans in Western European defense.

Eden's departure was seen as a sign of the gravity of the situation.

## Elks Lodge Clinic Held Here Sunday

Harrisburg Elks Lodge No. 1558 was host Sunday to the annual Exalted Rulers and Secretaries clinic of the South district, under the leadership of District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler Ray Tibbs, Mt. Vernon.

The following lodges in the South district were represented at the clinic: Cairo, Carbondale, Carmi, Centralia, Marion, Du Quoin, Hermin, Metropolis, McLeansboro, Mt. Vernon, Murphysboro, Salem, Benton, West Frankfort, Chester, and the host lodge, Harrisburg.

The clinic, conducted each year, is a workshop for exalted rulers and secretaries of the various lodges, to acquaint them with the duties and responsibilities of their offices for the coming year.

## Lost Ad Locates Pig, Catching It Tough

When a sow pig strayed from its pen at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hise last week, they used a Daily Register classified "Lost" ad to find it. The pig did not get out of the neighborhood, before a half dozen neighbors called to tell them to come and get the porker.

Locating it and catching it were two different things, and it was not until the pig ran into the yard at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Pankey that she was cornered. With the help of Mr. and Mrs. Pankey, Mrs. Hise caught the squealing piggy in the Pankey barn.

## Docket for September Announced

The docket setting for the September term of Saline county circuit court which starts at 9 a. m. Monday, Sept. 13, with the empanelling of a grand jury was announced today.

Judge C. Ross Reynolds of Vienna will preside.

The setting:

Monday, Sept. 13: Non jury—C. M. Harding vs. J. M. Hatcher; Frank Martin vs. Ethel Martin; Register Publishing Co. vs. John C. Porter; Ida Mae Hart vs. John L. Hart. Pleading—W. B. Westbrook et al vs. Burdette Mosby.

Wednesday, Sept. 15: Non jury—Mabel Capel vs. J. M. Capel; Marjorie Jean Brannock vs. Charles Eugene Brannock; Helen Little Adams et al vs. Sallie Beltz et al.

Thursday, Sept. 16: Pleading—Helen Hinkle vs. Virginia Anderson; non jury—Charles Eugene Kaley vs. Mary Elizabeth Kaley; James Blair vs. Warren Ross Randolph.

Monday, Sept. 20: Jury—Dallas R. Clary vs. Ebba Glen Franklin; Frank Churchill vs. Dr. Warren D. Tuttle; Florence Wirth vs. Harrisburg hospital; Clifford Pye vs. Loren Hancock.

Tuesday, Sept. 21: Jury—Joe L. Gross vs. Ralph Colbert; C. J. Cummins, adm. vs. City of Harrisburg; Frank Bowman vs. Harry Bramlet, Jr.; Bessie Carter vs. John Eadie.

Wednesday, Sept. 22: Jury—Curtis Brantley vs. Roy Dixon; Colleen Moore Weise vs. Ray Moore; Agnes Wood vs. Hiram Sutton; Clem Nash vs. Frank Stout.

Thursday, Sept. 23: Jury—Edna Holt et al vs. Mabel Sanders; John L. Baal vs. Claude Sanders; William H. Price vs. Dr. James H. Lewis; Howard Travelstead et al vs. Marion Kent.

Monday, Sept. 27: Jury—H. H. Willis vs. Cyril Wagoner et al; Clifford Pyle vs. Robert Logsdon et al; Ray Williams, adm. vs. Joseph Francis Mathieu; Effie Clark vs. A. O. Steinborn.

Tuesday, Sept. 28: Jury—Ruby Dunn vs. Kenneth Capel; Herman Temple vs. Joyce Wilson.

## Lions Club Seeks To Brighten City

Plans were completed at Monday night's meeting of the Harrisburg Lions club for a house-to-house light bulb sale to be conducted Monday night, Sept. 13 and again the following Monday, Sept. 20.

The light bulbs will be sold at regular retail price, with profits from the sales being used in the Lions' civic enterprises. A bag of 11 bulbs—six 60 watt, three 100 watt and two 75 watt—will be offered for \$2. Advance orders will be accepted on telephone 355-W.

Next week the Lions will meet on Tuesday, at the Masonic temple, in a joint meeting of Harrisburg civic organizations, sponsored by the Kiwanis club. The regular Monday meeting will not be held.

## Three Water Sources Take Harrisburg Off Critical Shortage List

SPRINGFIELD (U)—Harrisburg has been stricken from the list of Illinois cities suffering critical or near-critical water shortage.

The State Division of Sanitary Engineering Monday removed Harrisburg from the roster, saying that city now has "an ample supply" in its combined facilities of its own reservoir plus what it can get from two emergency reservoirs.

## EDC Rejection Disappointing To Eisenhower

Tells Iowans Fears Of French About Germans Groundless

DES MOINES, Iowa (U)—President Eisenhower said French fears that German participation in the European Defense Community would threaten their security were groundless.

The President, visibly disappointed at French rejection of the EDC, told 20,000 Iowans at the State Fairgrounds Monday night that West Germans could have been admitted to the European army "without any danger" of their starting another war.

He called the French decision "a serious setback" and added that EDC had the backing and faith of the United States, Great Britain and other powers allied against the threat of communism.

Nevertheless, the President emphasized that Americans should not become pessimistic over the success of U. S. policy.

## Cites Free World Victories

Looking at the massed Midwest-ers before him, he said "When you look at the way America is represented here, how can you be faint hearted?"

Then, in a more optimistic vein, he ticked off recent victories for the free world—agreement on the Suez Canal, settlement of the Iranian oil dispute, and the defeat of the Communists in Guatemala.

The overthrow of Guatemala's Red-dominated government, he said, proved again "that people who have tasted freedom will not again submit to Communist domination."

The President paid a flying trip here with Iowa's most famous native son, former chief executive of the free world—agreement on the Suez Canal, settlement of the Iranian oil dispute, and the defeat of the Communists in Guatemala.

## Victory Service Brings Methodists \$5,585 for Building

Methodists wound up their first year of pledge giving toward the new church and youth center building with a special Victory Service Sunday morning. Their building fund offering Sunday totaled \$5,585.

This was a record-breaking total for any one Sunday during the past 52 weeks. Previously, the largest Sunday building offering had been received on Easter, when \$4,172.29 was given.

George Davenport, H. E. Jones, John Woolcott and Herbert Peak were among those giving special reports during the service Sunday. The various Sunday school classes and church organizations also reported on their amounts pledged and given.

Progress of the actual construction was also discussed briefly by the pastor. The program included congregational singing, special numbers, scripture, recognition of deceased members, and prayer of thanksgiving for the past and future of the building program.

The entire amount received into the building fund during the past year through pledges paid and contributions totaled more than \$90,000.

## Sen. Joe Being Tried by Special Senate Group

He and Chairman Watkins Engage in Verbal Exchange

WASHINGTON (U)—The first session of a special Senate committee hearing censure charges against Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy broke up today in a shouting, gavel-banging exchange between McCarthy and Committee Chairman Arthur V. Watkins (R-Utah).

The flurry was touched off when McCarthy demanded to know whether statements attributed to committee member Edwin C. Johnson (D-Colo.) by the Denver Post were correct. The paper quoted Johnson as saying Democratic leaders loathed the Wisconsin Republican.

Johnson had just told the committee he never said he personally loathed McCarthy.

When McCarthy pressed Watkins to say whether the story was accurate, Watkins silenced him with gavel banging.

Shouts, Bangs Gavel  
"It is not material to this hearing," Watkins shouted, pounding his gavel as McCarthy insisted upon the right to an answer.

"You are out of order," Watkins said.

"I have a right to know . . ." McCarthy broke in.

Watkins' pounded his gavel again.

"You are out of order," he insisted, his voice rising. "We are not going to be interrupted by these diversions."

He immediately ordered the committee into recess until 10 a. m. Wednesday. (8 a. m. CST).  
Fails to Get Count Dropped

McCarthy's attorney tried and failed earlier to get the committee to dismiss one of five general charges against the Wisconsin Republican.

The attorney, Edward B. Williams, asked the committee in the first hour of the hearing to drop a "contempt of the Senate" count based on McCarthy's refusal in the 82nd Congress to honor requests of a special elections subcommittee to testify about his financial dealings.

He said no Congress ever has censured a member for his conduct in a previous session.

But Chairman Arthur V. Watkins (R-Utah) said the committee already had passed on that issue. He invited Williams to file a brief in support of his motion but denied his plea for "just one half hour" of oral argument.

Williams made his motion after McCarthy told the committee he was proud of his work against communism. McCarthy charged his accusers with having "ulterior, political motives," or serving as "unwitting victims of powerful political groups."

The "jury" of six senators opened its investigation of McCarthy's official conduct with a promise to give the senator "a judicial hearing and a judicial atmosphere."

McCarthy Somewhat Subdued  
It was a somewhat subdued McCarthy who sat in the witness chair of the ornate Senate caucus room and struck back at his accusers.

Watkins permitted McCarthy to read his statement, which already had been released to the press. He commented that "most" of McCarthy's statement "is not material and relevant to the issues in this case as we understand it."

## Gallatin County Fair Set for September 13-17

The 17th Annual Gallatin county fair will be held Sept. 13-17 this year, officers of the association have revealed.

In addition to the regular sheep, beef cattle, swine and dairy cattle judging, agricultural products, textiles and fine arts, education and natural history, apiculture and culinary entries will be exhibited.

A horse show and Border collie sheep dog trials are on the fair's agenda as well as running horse races on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

## Joliet Youth, 13, Drowns

JOLIET, Ill. (U)—Eugene Jensen, 13, Joliet, drowned Monday in a nearby quarry while playing with two other boys.

## The Weather

ILLINOIS: Fair and cool to bright. Wednesday fair and a little warmer. Low tonight 48-54 north, 52-58 south. High Wednesday 75-82 north, 80-87 south.

LOCAL TEMPERATURE	
Monday	Tuesday
2 p. m. .... 87	3 a. m. .... 64
6 p. m. .... 82	6 a. m. .... 62
9 p. m. .... 74	9 a. m. .... 73
12 mid. .... 69	12 noon .... 80



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Blessed is he whose transgres-  
sion is forgiven, whose sin is cov-  
ered. — Psa. 32:1.

Let us get our accounts with God  
and the world out of red ink. A  
whole-hearted loyalty will be need-  
ed.

### The U. S. and Formosa

By BRUCE BISSAT  
Three events of recent days have  
put Formosa back in the news.

Premier Chou En-lai of Red Chi-  
na said his government soon would  
seize the island. President Eisen-  
hower flatly warned that invading  
Chinese would find the U. S. Sev-  
enth Fleet barring their way.

And the British declared they  
would not suffer Formosa to be in-  
cluded in any Southeast Asia de-  
fense alliance.

None of these happenings can be  
classed as startling, but they do  
re-emphasize certain basic facts  
about Formosa and our relation to  
it.

First, with its Nationalist Chi-  
nese government, the island is a  
sharp thorn in Red China's side.  
So long as it exists in hostile hands,  
the Communists can never quite  
relax the defense of their mainland  
coast. Nor can they wipe out the  
political menace of a rival regime.  
Threatening noises from China  
may be expected, though just how  
seriously they should be taken at  
this time is a question. The Reds  
know the U. S. Fleet blocks their  
way.

The British made their particular  
pronouncement because they have  
recognized Red China and will not  
place themselves in the position  
of defending a rival government.  
It is viewed as diplomatically in-  
consistent.

But to the U. S., Formosa is more  
than a diplomatic puzzle. It is a  
defensive bastion, a key link in the  
chain of outposts on the Western  
Pacific rim. Whether or not we  
cared to save Chiang Kai-shek, we  
would feel bound to protect For-  
mosa as an integral part of our  
vital defense system.

That is the real significance of  
these events. The British look at  
Formosa as a bystander would, not  
feeling their safety or Asia's deep-  
ly involved. But to us the Seventh  
Fleet is a necessary fact of life.  
To the Red Chinese it is a hard  
fact of life that they will forget  
at their peril.

president of the United States, was  
a descendant of Indian chiefs in  
the Osage and Kaw tribes.

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## The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND By DREW PEARSON

(While Drew Pearson is on a  
brief vacation, the Washington  
Merry-Go-Round is being written  
by several guest columnists, to-  
day's being the well known glam-  
or girls; Ethel Merman and Mar-  
ilyn Monroe.)

By ETHEL MERMAN  
AND  
MARILYN MONROE  
MERMEN AND MONROE  
Say: Men Should Develop  
Muscles So They Can Handle  
Heavy House-hold Duties;  
Monroe's Pinup Days Are  
Over — Almost: Can't Qual-  
ify For Dior's New Fashions.

SAYS ETHEL MERMAN:

If I were one of the lawmakers  
you're always writing about, I'd  
pass laws that:

Men never have business con-  
ferences on nights their wives give  
dinner parties.

Political and business talk be  
banned at dinner parties.

Men wear blinders at the beach.  
Morning papers be delivered after  
breakfast, so hubby can feel  
his face and wifey could see it be-  
fore he dries it in the news.

Men dress more sensibly in hot  
weather—that they wear some-  
thing like a mandarin-type cotton  
or linen jacket, which takes the  
place of both jacket and shirt at-  
tractively.

Husbands never be allowed to  
overwork and talk themselves out  
during their business day, so  
they're good for nothing but a  
grunt of greeting and a short good-  
night when they get home.

Men shouldn't be allowed to lis-  
ten to that Eartha Kitt record —  
unless the mink and schmink is  
for wifey.

Males be forced to take courses  
in the care and changing of babies  
before they get their high school  
diplomas.

That they also take courses  
teaching the difference between  
cotton and silk, so, at least once  
a year, they can compliment their  
wives on a dress and make sense  
about it.

Diff's about coiffures, so they  
know the difference between a  
pompadour and a Roman cut.

Every husband be equipped with  
a portable cabinet in which to  
dump the contents of his pocket,  
instead of leaving all the junk on  
the dresser. (Believe me, male  
pockets are messier than women's  
purses, and that's going some!)

Men be reminded once a week  
about Pat's Berg, Babe Zaharias,  
Maureen Connolly, Gussie Moran,  
so they'll realize their better halves  
might give them some healthy  
competition on the golf course or  
tennis court.

All hat stores have two tags—  
one for the real price of the chap-  
eau, the other for hubby's eyes  
alone—the second being at least  
half the first.

All mother-in-law jokes be ban-  
ned.

Husbands be forced to submit  
to a "perfume" detector test when  
they come home from "working  
late at the office."

Men come equipped with built-  
in ash catchers and lifetime  
clamped buttons, non-removable  
dress shirt studs.

Husbands be forced to stay  
home with the kids at least once  
a week.

Husbands be forced to take their  
wives out on a dress-up date once  
a week.

Men strong enough to play foot-  
ball, handball, tennis, golf, etc.,

be strong enough to help with the  
dishes, too.

P. S. — I'm just kidding, men.  
I love you as is—especially Bob  
Six.

SAYS MARILYN MONROE:

From time to time I've been  
quoted in the entertainment col-  
umns of newspapers, and even in  
news stories, but this is the first  
time I've been invited to contrib-  
ute to a column which deals with  
national affairs on a high level.

Nearest I've come to affecting  
the national pulse is when I re-  
presented, through a comedy of er-  
rors, ordered killed a picture of me  
taken with some service girls in  
Atlantic City, but the newspapers  
ran the picture anyway and a truce  
was arranged.

Later, 11 Marines went AWOL  
in Korea to hear me sing, but the  
incident was handled on the spot.  
They were confined to camp for a  
month, and Washington was not  
distracted from its more import-  
ant problems.

In brief, as Lorelei would say,  
what is a girl like I doing in Drew  
Pearson's column?

Perhaps it's because I've been  
lucky and a lot of my fellow Amer-  
icans have cheered from the side-  
lines as a little gal without much  
background found success and hap-  
piness the hard way.

Being neither a natural-born ac-  
tress, singer nor dancer, I still  
pinch myself as I drive to work on  
the lot in a very nice automobile  
and go into a singing, dancing,  
and dramatic routine in Irving  
Berlin's "There's No Business Like  
Show Business."

I work with such talented peo-  
ple as Ethel Merman, Donald  
O'Connor, Mitzi Gaynor, Johnnie  
Ray and Dan Dailey, and I feel  
warm all over when Irving Ber-  
lin tells me that I'm a fine per-  
former, as distinguished from a  
pin-up personality.

You might like to know that my  
pin-up days are over—well, sort  
of. I still want to look nice, and  
have our servicemen and others  
take pleasure in my pictures, but  
I also want to be known as a good  
actress. I think "Seven Year  
Itch," which I will start soon, will  
give me a wonderful opportunity  
to show how I've improved since  
my first small bit in "Ladies of  
The Chorus."

Years ago, during a short per-  
iod I spent in an orphan's home  
because of my mother's illness, I  
used to look out at the big sign on  
the RKO lot in Hollywood and  
dream of stardom. I thought it  
would be the easiest and most  
glamorous life in the world.  
Well, I like the glamor part but  
it certainly isn't easy. I work  
hard and study hard and have  
little time even for my husband.  
But I do divorce my private life  
from my career as an actress,  
and that is why you never see Joe  
and me posing together around  
Hollywood.

I'd have enjoyed going east re-  
cently to watch Joe hit one over  
the fence in his old timers' exhi-  
bition game, but I was here in Hol-  
lywood that morning, up at 5 a. m.,  
getting dressed and made up for a  
routine with Donald O'Connor.

As to the future, I just don't  
know. On the horizon, like a black  
cloud, is the frightening figure of  
Dior, who has decreed that girls  
must be flat-chested. If this comes  
about, I will be a dead duck and  
people will be speaking of Marilyn  
in the past tense because no mat-  
ter what Dior decrees come out  
of Paris, I just don't qualify.

### State to Accept Seedling, Wildlife Plant Orders Sept. 1

On September 1 the Illinois De-  
partment of Conservation, Division  
of Forestry will start accepting or-  
ders from owners of rural land for  
9,000,000 reforestation tree seed-  
lings and wildlife plants according  
to Ernest W. Kunze, farm forester  
at Harrisburg. Most of the orders  
will be delivered next spring.

Farmers, sportsmen, and other  
rural-land owners are urged by the  
forester to contact the Springfield  
office or their nearest forestry of-  
fice immediately to obtain applica-  
tion forms and helpful planting  
information. Forms and advice also  
are available from the county  
farm adviser and from the local  
Soil Conservation Service office.

Prices of the 17 evergreen and  
hardwood species available range  
from 12 cent to 1 1/2 cents per  
seedling, or \$5 to \$15 per thousand  
trees. By investing pennies for  
plantations on the poorest part of  
the farm, Kunze pointed out, a  
farmer can often raise his property  
values by several hundred dollars.  
A pine Christmas tree plantation  
can double as a windbreak, im-  
prove the beauty of our farms, and  
make for enjoyable living, he said.

The State Department of Con-  
servation offers the reforestation  
program because the gifts of the  
forest are important for the well-  
fare, profit, and happiness of every  
person and family in Illinois. It  
is an opportunity, Kunze stated,  
to put poor land to work again, to  
bring back the beauty of our na-  
tive farm woodlands, and to make  
the Illinois countryside a more col-  
orful place for ourselves and for  
a profitable tourist industry.

### Garbled Loot Makes Return Trip Necessary

SANTA MONICA, Calif. ap —  
The burglar who robbed Walter  
Emerson's music shop apparently  
had little knowledge of musical in-  
struments.  
He stole a ukulele and a book  
entitled "How to Play the Har-  
monica."



**LEGAL TIFF**—City Council in  
Los Angeles, Calif., is checking the  
law books to see whether they can  
cancel the \$10,000 contract for this  
statue designed for their new po-  
lice building. Bernard Rosenthal  
was commissioned to do the statue  
two years ago. Councilman Harold  
Harby said the modernistic statue,  
symbolic of the typical American  
family under police protection, was  
"just junk."

### Blow Ends Blindness, His Wife Looks Same

DARTINGTON, England ap —  
William Passmore, 80, who had  
been blind for 14 years, awoke  
after a bump on the head and an-  
nounced that he could see again.  
"My wife hasn't changed a bit,"  
he said.

## Moore Grove Used by Many; Site of Big Family Reunion

Out of a family need for picnic  
facilities, there was developed on  
the A. A. Moore farm on Rt. 13  
west of Harrisburg a few years  
ago, a picnic area, shaded by a  
grove of beautiful old trees. A pic-  
nic oven was built, picnic tables  
set up and a platform for pro-  
grams.

It was not long until the little  
picnic area was being used by  
churches, lodges, Sunday schools  
and various other organizations.  
This year 11 family reunions have  
been held at Moore's grove.

Every September the week-end  
of Labor Day is reserved for the  
annual reunion by the Moore fam-  
ilies, which really begins on Sun-  
day before Labor Day. Other  
weeks from May to September the  
Grove is the picnic and reunion  
place of rural schools, grade  
schools from Harrisburg, Carrier  
Mills, Crab Orchard, Harco, South  
America, Bankston and Pierson.  
Several large picnics by Baptist  
Brotherhood groups have been held  
there and Vacation Bible school  
picnics are numerous in early  
June. The Carrier Mills Lions  
clubs, Masonic groups and political  
rallies have been held at Moore's  
grove this year.

This year a special occasion is  
being celebrated. That is the re-  
tirement of Nelson Moore, one of  
the 12 children of the pioneer set-  
tlers, William Alvis Moore, and his  
wife, Margaret Lebo Moore,  
whose father, a French Huguenot,  
came over with the French Army  
of General Lafayette, to help the  
American colonies to win their  
freedom.

Grandchildren and great-grand-  
children of this couple were in the  
troops that America sent to France  
in World Wars 1 and 2, and there  
have been "freedom fighters" in  
each generation of the Moore and  
Lebo families. But they have  
been energetic also in peaceful  
pursuits, many of them serving as

set up and anyone who has some-  
thing to offer for the good of the  
morale of the whole is invited to  
step up and talk up.

While the constitution and by-  
laws fix certain rules regarding  
the association there is no red tape  
about the functions for fun.

The youngsters can ride ponies,  
dash down the sliding boards, sing  
and swing, as much and as loud  
and as long as any past genera-  
tions that bawled their way home  
with the stomach ache after the big  
family feast and gabfest.

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### McGills Home After Evangelistic Meeting

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## Social and Personal Items



RECENTLY MARRIED—Miss Neva Shewmake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Shewmake, became the bride of Paul Stroub, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Stroub, Harrisburg RFD 2, Saturday, August 14, at 7:15 p. m. The wedding was held at the home of the Rev. Ned Sutton, who officiated.

### Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stroub Honored with Reception and Showers Following Wedding

Mrs. Paul Stroub, the former Miss Neva Shewmake, was honored with a personal shower recently at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Shirley Shewmake.

Preceding the opening of gifts games were played and prizes won by Miss Joan Stroub and Mrs. Helen Shewmake.

Sandwiches and punch were served to Mrs. Kate Shewmake, Mrs. Helen Shewmake, Mrs. Betty Ledbetter, Misses Bonnie Dunn, Rachel Henshaw, Barbara Fearhelly, Delores Speaks, Ruby McDaniell, Carla Castle, Donna Rae Schick, Joan Stroub, Wanda Williams, Carla Shewmake and the hostess, Mrs. Shirley Shewmake.

A reception was held later that evening at the Foster Cafe where a long table was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake.

And on Friday, August 27, a household shower was held for Mr. and Mrs. Stroub at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Shewmake.

Games were played and prizes awarded to Mrs. Annie Hall and Mrs. Shirley Shewmake. Follow-

ing the opening of many lovely and useful gifts, refreshments of ice cream, cookies and soft drinks were served to Mrs. Lydia Winkelman, Mrs. Otto Partain, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Winkelman, Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Sanders and daughter, Mrs. Mary Reynolds and daughter, Mrs. Velma Gollmer and daughter, Mrs. Delbert Shunk, Mrs. Annie Hall, Mrs. Kate Straily, Mrs. Burt Stroub, Mrs. Byford Dunn, Miss Bonnie Dunn, Mrs. Kate Stroub, Mr. and Mrs. James Shewmake and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Shewmake and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Shewmake Jr. and son, Mrs. Betty Ledbetter, Mrs. Judy Brothers and Miss Donna Shewmake.

### Auxiliary and Families Of B. R. T. Celebrate 2 Birthdays

A picnic in honor of two members of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen who have birthdays in the month of August, Mrs. Roy L. Chamberlain and Mrs. Frank Guess, was enjoyed by the members and their families recently at the Guess cabin in Round Pond.

The day was spent in fishing and swimming, and after the bountiful dinner all gathered round and sang old songs, accompanied by Harold Kielhorn on the guitar.

The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lawson, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Ledbetter and son, Steven, Mr. and Mrs. John Fleming and grandson, Donald Nolen, Mrs. Charles White, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thompson and son, Phil, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bynum, Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stricklin, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kielhorn and son, Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Aud and sons, Vickie and Dannie, and nephew, Jim Thornsberry, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wing, Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Chamberlain, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Guess.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Wiggins and Mr. and Mrs. Mancy Wilson of Eldorado visited later in the afternoon.

### Illiana Club Organized In Carrier Mills

The Illiana Club was organized Friday night at the home of Mrs. Opal McAtee of Carrier Mills. This is made up of women from Indiana who are now living in and around Carrier Mills.

Officers elected were Mrs. Opal McAtee, president; Mrs. Marge Davis, vice president; and Mrs. Norma Figg, secretary and treasurer.

Mrs. Jean Brewer won both contests, one of which was the choosing of the club name, Illiana.

Present were Mrs. Norma Green, Mrs. Marge Davis, Mrs. Juanita Campbell, Mrs. Seveya Rodecker, Mrs. Juanita Rodecker, Mrs. Adah Spurgeon, Mrs. Gwen Wilson, Mrs. Jean Brewer, Mrs. Norma Figg and the hostess, Mrs. Opal McAtee.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. The next meeting will be held on Sept. 10, the place to be announced later.

### Marriage Licenses

Glendal Jenkins, 20, and Naomi Moore, 21, both of Stonefort.

### Bar Picnic Set For Sept. 11

The Saline County Bar association will hold its annual picnic on Saturday, Sept. 11, at 2 p. m. at the Hudson Mudge cabin approximately 12 miles southeast of Harrisburg. Joe Butler, president of the organization, announced yesterday.

Guests of the association will be the three circuit judges from this area and attorneys from Pope, Hardin, Johnson and Gallatin counties. The picnic is staged each year by members of the Saline County Bar association.

### Heads Lutherans

SPRINGFIELD (CP)—The Rev. Alvin W. Mueller, Decatur, Monday was elected president of the Central Illinois District of the Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod.

### Miss Jane Arvedson and James Frederick Hood Marry

The charming Episcopal Chapel of St. John the Divine in Champaign was the setting for the Saturday morning, August 21, wedding of Miss Jane Frances Arvedson and James Frederick Hood. The bride is the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Frederick S. Arvedson of Champaign and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hood of Harrisburg.

The Rt. Rev. Charles A. Clough, bishop of Springfield, officiated at the double ring ceremony at 10 a. m. in which the Rev. Arvedson gave his daughter in marriage. White gladioli and mums at the altar made an effective setting for the solemn occasion. Mrs. Arthur Criss, organist, and Mr. Criss, violinist, played the wedding music.

The bride was a lovely picture in her ballerina length wedding gown of charming lace over bridal satin, fashioned with long sleeves which came to points over her hands, princess type bodice and graceful full skirt. Her fingertip veil was of illusion and the bride wore her grandmother's pearls. The bridal bouquet was a cascade of white gladioli and stephanotis.

Attending the bride as her maid of honor and only attendant was Miss Joan Cann of Pekin, who was in pretty contrast to the bride, wearing a ballerina length dress of teal blue taffeta. She carried a cascade bouquet of peach and white gladioli and small white mums. Her head piece was of tiny white mums.

Peter Frederick Arvedson, brother of the bride, attended the bridegroom as his best man and ushers were Earl Reitan of Champaign and Richard Norton of Urbana.

The ceremony was followed with a reception in the Faculty Lounge of the Illinois Union. Miss Frances M. Young of Baltimore, Md., aunt of the bride, poured the coffee while Miss Elaine Hood of Harrisburg, sister of the bridegroom, served the wedding cake, assisted by Miss Jean Lokke of Urbana. Mrs. Stanley Paul of Champaign dipped the punch. Miss Robin Whitney of Champaign was in charge of the guest book.

Following a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Hood will be at home at 416 South Cottage Grove, Kirksville, Mo. For going away Mrs. Hood changed to a suit of American Beauty hue with which she wore navy blue and white accessories. She wore the gladioli corsage from her bridal bouquet.

Mrs. Hood was graduated from the University of Illinois in June. Mr. Hood has completed work on his Ph. D. in history from the University of Illinois and will teach at Northeast Missouri State Teachers college, Kirksville, Mo.

Those attending the wedding from Harrisburg were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hood, his sister, Miss Elaine Hood, and his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hess.

### Methodist W. S. C. S. Has Hayride For College Students

As a pre-school party, the Women's Society for Christian Service of the First Methodist church planned a hayride and wieners roast Friday evening in honor of its college students.

The group, meeting at the site of the new church, drove to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lewis where the hayride began. After a jolly ride the group had a wieners roast and watermelon feast at the Pleasant Valley school.

The following were present: Sally Russell, Bob Reed, Carole Thaxton, Dick McDowell, Ann Funkhouser, Ed Miller, Harry Borders, Barbara Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lewis and the chaperones, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schwartz and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parker.

Bonnie Ruth Potter, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Potter, Harrisburg RFD 4, is a patient at the Illinois Research hospital in Chicago. She would enjoy hearing from friends. Her address is Illinois Research hospital, 840 South Wood St., c-o 14 East Pediatrics, Chicago, Ill.

### Mrs. Mary R. Myers Observes 84th Birthday

A birthday dinner was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Myers, Harrisburg RFD 3, in honor of the 84th birthday of Mr. Myers' mother, Mrs. Mary R. Myers. She received many lovely gifts.

Present were the honored one's sister, Mrs. Mary Christianson, Lake Village, Ind., Miss Minnie Westpheling, Inman, Miss Pauline Westpheling, St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gates, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Myers and son, Ronnie, and the host and hostess.

## Odum Returns To Marion to Face Charges

MARION, Ill. (AP)—Fred Odum, 40, was held in jail here today after surrendering Monday night to face a murder charge in the death of Lorin Norman, 25-year-old Navy veteran.

Authorities picked up Odum at Carbondale when he returned by train from Chicago where he fled Sunday night after striking Norman on the head with a piece of firewood at an American Legion picnic.

Odum went to the home of a friend in Chicago and told him what happened and the friend called authorities here after Odum decided to return and give himself up.

Odum, an electric repair shop operator here, told Sheriff Ora Kirby he didn't know whom he had hit until his friend called authorities. Odum said he did not know Norman but was a friend of the victim's father, Troy, a Marion contractor. He said he had planned to borrow money from Troy Norman for a defense attorney until he learned the victim of his attack was Norman's son.

Authorities said Odum said he did not know why he struck Norman, who was scuffling with another man, and said he fled the scene because he was frightened.

An inquest was planned for tonight and State's Atty. Carl Sneed said Odum would be permitted to testify if he wished. Sneed plans to present the case to the September grand jury.

### Out-of-Town Persons Attend Funeral Sunday For Dr. C. W. Whitley

Out-of-town relatives here Sunday for the funeral of Dr. C. W. Whitley included the following: Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Acton, Danville, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Webber Whitley, Marion, RFD 2, Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Royalty, Dayton, Ohio, William Whit Acton, and Harvey Heath Acton, Danville, and Jerry Webber Whitley, Battle Creek, Mich., who are children and grandchildren.

Mrs. Hannah Mulholland, a sister of Dr. Whitley, who lives in California, was unable to attend.

A cousin, Mrs. Horace Brown, Eldorado, and Mrs. Whitley's sister, Mrs. Pearl Norman, Washington, D. C., and her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Webber, Stonefort, were here.

Mrs. Marshall Oment, Johnston City, Mrs. Frona Zug, Indianapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ragsdale, Carmi, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ragsdale, Carbondale, Mrs. James Davis and Miss Rita Davis, Evansville, all cousins, attended.

Numerous friends came from all of the nearby counties, including a great number of professional friends of the late Dr. Whitley and associates of Mrs. Whitley in the Illinois Public Aid Commission.

### Calendar of Meetings

Circle B of McKinley Avenue Baptist church will meet Wednesday at 1:30 p. m. at the L. C. Denison home, 116 W. Park street. Mrs. James Ford will lead the missionary lesson. Every member is urged to attend.

The executive board of the Women's Guild of the First Presbyterian church will hold its regular board meeting Wednesday at 2 p. m. at the church. On Thursday at 7:30 p. m. the guild meeting will be held at the church at which time new officers will be elected. This will be followed by a social hour. The Lenore circle will be hostess.

The Egyptian Stamp and Coin club will meet at the Eldorado Lions club Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

### Get 545 Indictments In Vice Probe at Phenix City, Alabama

PHENIX CITY, Ala. (AP)—National Guardsmen today rounded up persons charged in 545 indictments returned by a special grand jury investigating Alabama's biggest crackdown on vice and political corruption.

At least 27 of the 50 persons accused in the record number of indictments were arrested by guardsmen, acting as law enforcement officers under martial rule, during the first few hours following the return of the jury's initial report on underworld elements here.

### WSIL-TV Program Channel 22

#### TUESDAY — P. M.

5:55—Sign On  
6:00—Cactus Pete  
6:30—Lucky LeRoy  
6:45—Front Page  
7:00—Play of the Week  
7:30—Cases of E. Drake  
8:00—Danny Thomas  
8:30—Frigidaire Theatre  
9:45—Final Edition  
10:00—Sign Off

#### WEDNESDAY — P. M.

5:55—Sign On  
6:00—Cactus Pete  
6:30—Lucky LeRoy  
6:45—Front Page  
7:00—Liberace  
7:30—Dangerous Assignment  
8:00—Family Playhouse  
9:00—Royal Playhouse  
9:30—Film  
9:45—Four-Star Final  
10:00—Mark Saber  
10:00—Sign Off

### Births

To Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Diefenbach, RFD 2, Carrier Mills, a boy named Denver Lee, weighing eight pounds, four ounces, born August 30 at the Harrisburg hospital.

To Major and Mrs. R. H. Armstrong, who have been stationed in Colorado Springs with the Air Force since April of this year, a baby girl named Sally Melissa, born August 27. Major Armstrong is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Armstrong of Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Baker of Harrisburg. Mrs. Almon Deen and daughter, Beth of Eldorado attended the graduation exercises of Miss Susan Baker in Evansville Ind., last night.

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### Reopen Sept. 10th

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SIBYL WHITLEY,  
Executor.  
LYNNDDON M. HANCOCK,  
Attorney.

### In Memoriam

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And every day I miss him more,  
As I walk through life alone.  
The call was short, shock severe,  
To part with one I love so dear;  
No one knows the silent heart-  
aches,

Only those who have lost can  
tell  
Of the grief I bear in silence  
For the one I love so well.  
I never knew that hearts could  
ache

With such a bitter pain,  
Longing for a vanished face,  
To hear his voice again,  
I never knew that nights could be  
So lonely, cold and dim.

But oh, I learned so many things  
Because of losing him.  
If all the world were mine to give,  
I would give it all and more,  
To see his face I love so dear,  
Come smiling through my door.  
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55-5

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54-3

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54-2

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all modern, also sleeping room.  
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5 ROOM HOUSE WITH BATH,  
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Drug Store, Tel. 800-R.

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54-3

TWO OR THREE RM. FURN.  
apts. pvt. bath, sink and refrigera-  
tor. 320 W. Walnut.

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2nd floor, First National bank  
building. Mrs. O. O. Cummins,  
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SAHARA COAL, WASHED AND  
oiled. Kindling, chat, rock, sand  
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7.7 cu. ft., \$219.95. \$30 trade in  
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tor, balance \$8.95 per month. Irvin  
Appliance Co., 615 E. Poplar St.

44-20

BOYS' BIG SMITH OVERALL  
pants, all sizes 6 to 16, \$1.98 per  
pair. Henshaw's Clothing, Carrier  
Mills, Ill.

44-12

BIG SELECTION OF GOOD  
used refrigerators, all makes. \$10  
to \$15 down, balance in small pay-  
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44-30

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ice. See Frank Owens, Saline  
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Phone 193W.

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alls, \$3.49 pair. Henshaw Cloth-  
ing, Carrier Mills.

51-8

6-ROOM MODERN HOME, 108  
Dayton St., 3 bedrooms and nice  
bath, living room, dining room  
and kitchen with tiled walls, built  
in cabinets, pantry, all decorated,  
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same size refrigerator — Crosley  
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hay, 80c. Available Thurs. at  
Paul Drott's farm, Mt. Moriah  
church.

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size gas range, only \$59.95. Irvin  
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Mitchell Bros. Garage, Dorrisville.

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SCHOOL SUPPLIES—A BIGGER  
than ever selection. Look around  
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THE GIRLS WILL BE PROUD OF  
their Car Arome permanent for  
school. You can get the perma-  
nent kit at Rainbow's Drug Store.

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APPLES, GEORGE STEVENS,  
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HOME, LOCATED 2 MI. W. of  
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road and school bus route. Newly  
decorated, 2 bedrooms, hardwood  
floors, venetian blinds, stoker  
heat, barn and hen house. This  
property is priced right and must  
be seen to be appreciated. Phone  
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dealer.

54-2

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in field or will deliver. David W.  
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52-5

9 CU. FT. FRIGIDAIRE, SPEED  
Queen washer, 3-pc. walnut bed-  
room suite with springs and mat-  
tress, all in A-1 condition. Cheap.  
Phone 2201, Mrs. William Moody,  
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GRAPES: WHITE AND BLUE. V.  
Molinaro, 1 1/2 mi. north of Mud-  
dy.

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ALMOST NEW BAND SAW, COM-  
plete with stand and motor \$80.  
100 W. Lincoln.

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5 RM. ALL MOD. HOUSE, 213  
S. Webster.

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BOY'S 26 IN. BICYCLE, EXCEL-  
lent condition. Phone 1043W.

53-3

2 MALE BEAGLE PUPS, 6 MOS.  
old, litter registered. They are  
beginning to run. \$15 each. Also  
one registered 18-month old male,  
a good one. \$25. Phone Co. 24F2,  
Virgil Ewell, RFD 3, Hbg.

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CERTIFIED WHEAT AND OATS  
Certified Dubois Oats. The new  
better high yielding winter variety.  
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high yielding, short straw variety.  
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52-14

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3x6 Stoker washed and oiled, kin-  
dling—chat. City Coal Yard and  
Tin Shop.

274-1f

200 BALES LESPEDeza AND  
red top hay. Frank Blackman,  
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55-2

ALL METAL CABINET SINK  
and good kitchen cabinet. Ph.  
20R.

54-3

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Orpheum Billiard Hall, ph. 499W.

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WE HAVE A BIG STOCK OF  
electric fans, all sizes, O'Keefe  
Lumber Co. Inc., Carrier Mills.

295-

1947 STUDEBAKER CHAMPION,  
only \$250, also 12 gauge pump-gun.  
\$25. Call 109 E. Homer.

53-3

2-WHEEL ALL METAL TRAILER.  
Also metal clothesline posts. South-  
ern Illinois Iron & Metal Co.

54-3

1953 CRANBROOK 4-DOOR PLY-  
mouth, excellent condition, 20,000  
miles, \$1,500. L. H. Moore, 311 N.  
Granger.

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## (4) For Sale (Continued)

### HOME Canning

Paring knives, measuring spoons and cups, \*polythene mix and  
measure cups and decanters, parawax, liquid and powdered pec-  
tin, alum in the lump and powder.

Zinc lids for wide mouth and regular jars, Ball dome lids, Kerr  
Mason lids, rubber rings, bottle caps, strainers, glass jars in all  
sizes, rubber scrapers, and oven cleaner.

Endicott's Excel Super Market

\*As mentioned in the September Coronet Magazine.

(4) For Sale (Cont.)

GRAPES, CIRILLO URETIG, 2  
miles east of Bishop Service Sta-  
tion.

54-3

CONCRETE MIXERS AND FLOR  
sanders. O'Keefe Lumber Co.,  
Inc., Carrier Mills.

162-

ALL METAL CABINET SINK  
and good kitchen cabinet. Phone  
203R.

55-3

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stoker. Big enough for school  
bldg. Dr. E. M. Travelstead.

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\$325 A MONTH  
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West Frankfort, Ill.

55-2

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week. One mile south of Carrier  
Mills on U. S. 45.

54-2

6 ROOM SEMI-MOD. AT 13 S.  
McKinley. This place is empty  
and can be bought for a small  
payment down. Balance like rent.  
Luke Barnhill, 325 E. Poplar. Tel.  
214W.

55-2

ROYAL PORTABLE DELUXE  
typewriters for sale: \$10 down and  
\$5 per month. We also rent typew-  
riters. CLINE WADE, Typewriter  
& Stationery Store, 404 E. Main  
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ists, salesgirls, receptionists, book-  
keepers, accountants, salesmen.  
Tel. 8301, Eubanks Personnel Serv-  
ice, 625 1/2 S. Wright St., Cham-  
paign, Ill.

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SALESMAN: 21 TO 28 YRS. TO  
cover Southeastern Illinois, head-  
quarters Harrisburg. National con-  
cern. Salary. Car furnished. Box  
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53-3

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& W Rootbeer stand.

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### (6) Employment Wanted

### (7) Lost

### (8) Found

### (9) Miscellaneous

REPAIRS ON TYPEWRITERS  
and Adding Machines, called for  
and delivered. CLINE WADE  
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ph. 444.

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LEAVING FOR DETROIT. PON-  
tiac, Sat. Eve or Sun. Phone Car-  
rier Mills 2111.

55-4

### Plumbing Film Shown Rotary

An interesting and informative  
colored motion picture on the mak-  
ing of plumbing supplies and en-  
titled "Moulders of Progress" was  
viewed by Rotarians at their week-  
ly dinner meeting Monday eve-  
ning.

Fred N. (Buck) Russler was in  
charge of the program. The pic-  
ture was made and distributed by  
the Eljer manufacturing company  
and showed the various steps and  
processes in the making of bath-  
room fixtures.

President John Foster presided  
over the short business session.  
Due to the Labor Day holiday next  
Monday, no meeting will be held  
next week. Harry Gearhart of Mt.  
Vernon was a guest.

And \$172 in Receipts  
Are Gone With the Wind

FOLLANSBEE, W. Va. —  
Three hooded bandits pulled up to  
the cashier's booth at a drive-in  
theater Monday night and forced  
Sylvia O'Neill, 18, to hand over  
\$172 in receipts.

The feature picture was "She  
Couldn't Say No."

### NEEDS

Paring knives, measuring spoons and cups, \*polythene mix and  
measure cups and decanters, parawax, liquid and powdered pec-  
tin, alum in the lump and powder.







Woodman, Woodman,  
Spare My Limbs!

HACKENSACK, N. J. (AP)—Albert Kuiken, 64, has filed a \$10,000 damage suit against Theodore H. Martin for cutting down a tree while Kuiken was sitting in the upper branches.

The Daily Register 25c a week

## STOMACH SUFFERERS

A Doctor's Formula

The Harvey Stomach Treatment consists of a doctor's formula in tablet form. Doctors agree that nervous tension causes too much acid secretion in the stomach. Harvey's Tablets form a coating in the stomach. If you are suffering from pains due to too much acid and gas, Harvey's Stomach Treatment will give you relief from these acid pains. Don't suffer day after day. Ask your druggist about the results his customers are getting with HARVEY'S STOMACH TABLETS. Sold with Money Back Guarantee.

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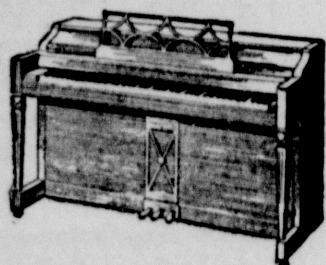


Rev. Glenn Slater of Independence, Kansas, will begin a revival meeting this Wednesday night at the Church of the Nazarene located on South Main street, Harrisburg. Mr. Slater is an earnest and effective evangelistic preacher, majoring on the great doctrines of the church as set forth in God's holy Word. Accompanying him in his evangelistic efforts, Mrs. Vera Slater sings duets with her husband and does solo work. She plays the piano-accordion and is an accomplished pianist. Danny, their seven-year-old son, is an unusual boy singer and accompanies his parents in evangelistic meetings. He sings a solo each night in revival services.

Services will begin each night at 7:30 and the public is invited to attend.

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Harrisburg

## BITTER SAGE

By Frank Gruber

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XXIII

Luke Miller returned to Sage City on the Thursday morning train. On the train was a pale, drawn-looking man in his mid-thirties. He wore a gray derby, a gray Prince Albert with a gray silk vest. He also wore a broad belt with a holster that contained a nickel-plated, short-barreled revolver.

This was Eric Stratemeyer, whose reputation was known throughout the West.

Mrs. Luke Miller and Wes Tancred, who were at the depot, did not see Eric Stratemeyer. Their eyes were on Luke Miller whose arms were loaded with parcels and two or three wooden boxes. Miller set the packages down on the platform and kissed his wife.

"We'll have a paper this week," said Mrs. Miller. "We're ready to go to press as soon as the press is ready."

Inside the plant of the Star Miller stripped off his coat and rolled up his sleeves. "Let's get to work," "Maybe you'd better read the proofs of the front page," Tancred suggested.

Miller caught up the page proofs. He had barely glanced at it, then he exclaimed, "Mayor! Me? He read on and as he read a gleam came into his eyes. Finally he looked up and drew a deep breath.

"It's great!" cried Luke Miller. One of the delivery boys brought a bundle of newspapers into the Fugger Store and deposited them on the counter where Laura Vesser worked. She read Tancred's article, the frown on her face growing as she read.

Then the newspaper was whisked out from under her eyes by Bill Bleek.

"For the boss!" Fugger had begun to total the results of the business of his various enterprises. He looked glumly at Bleek as the latter appeared with the newspaper.

"So they got out a paper, after all!"

Fugger took the paper and began to read. A spot of red appeared on his cheeks, began to grow.

"So Miller wants to be mayor," he finally said. "They were pretty close-mouthed about it," said Bleek, "but I got a hint of it a couple of days ago."

"Why didn't you tell me?"

"It was just a rumor and I couldn't check it. They offered the sheriff's spot to John Bailey, but he turned it down."

"There's something about this Bailey I can't put my finger on," said Fugger.

"A man named Stratemeyer came to town today," said Bleek. "You sent for him?"

"Nobody knows that."

"Three people today told me that you sent for him."

Fugger made an angry gesture. "Stratemeyer hasn't been in here and he isn't going to be. He's going to deal faro for McCoy."

"And what about those gun-fighters Hong Kong Smith's bringing up from Texas? What're they going to do?"

"Where'd you hear about them?" snapped Fugger.

"Smith likes to talk."

That evening Bill Bleek went to McCoy's Saloon and he gambled. He sat in the faro game of Eric Stratemeyer. Stratemeyer was a widely known for his prowess with a gun, but it was also known that he ran an absolutely straight game and his table had a good play.

Bleek played for five or 10 minutes and lost.

"I'd better not lose this one," he muttered.

Eric Stratemeyer gave him a sharp look and slid the cards out of his box. "Queen wins, seven loses," he droned.

Bleek's money was on the seven. He reached out. "Pay me."

"Seven loses, friend," Stratemeyer said.

Bleek's reaching hand became a fist that darted across the table and exploded on the point of Stratemeyer's jaw. The gambler crashed backwards over his chair. He scrambled clear and the cheap nickel-plated revolver was somehow in his fist.

The gun roared and a spot appeared in the center of Bill Bleek's forehead. Bleek swayed for an instant, then his body sagged to the floor.

Stratemeyer looked coolly around at the stunned witnesses. "Well?" he asked.

No one said a word.

Lee Kinnaird came into the Texas Saloon and saw Wes Tancred at the bar. He was watching Lily Leeds, who was at the back of the room talking to the piano player.

Kinnaird walked up to Tancred. "Bill Bleek just picked a fight with Eric Stratemeyer." Then, as Tancred looked at him inquiringly, "Bleek found out that a fist's no good against a gun. He's dead."

"Jacob will have a hard time replacing him."

"He's already been replaced," said Kinnaird. "Stratemeyer. Or, didn't you know that Fugger sent for him?"

Tancred shrugged. Kinnaird continued: "Fugger sent a telegram to Stratemeyer. Laura Vesser told me about it." Tancred's eyes came to Kinnaird's face and the former marshal did not avert his own eyes. "Fugger's deep. Could be."

He wanted it to leak out that he'd sent for Stratemeyer.

"Possibly."

"You've heard of Stratemeyer's reputation."

"Who hasn't?"

"I don't suppose it's occurred to you that Stratemeyer's being here has anything to do with you?"

(To Be Continued)

It's Rough on Police  
In Mexico City

MEXICO CITY (AP)—Policeman Luis Lopez Cordoba is through "butting into family affairs."

Cordoba tried to break up a street brawl Monday between a husband and wife.

Juan Mata, a bystander, slugged Cordoba for "butting into a family affair." When Cordoba fell to the ground, the husband and wife, plus Mata, jumped on him.

Cordoba, his eye blackened and his uniform in shreds, was rescued by two fellow officers.

Lots of Wind on  
This Television Program

MOREHEAD CITY, N. C. (AP)—When Mayor George W. Dill was asked why only 40 persons sought shelter in City Hall from the hurricane Monday night he explained: "They're all home watching the hurricane on television."

Two Youths, Man Get  
County Court Probation

Three Harrisburg men were placed on probation in county court this morning by County Judge Ralph Choiser.

George Yother and Donald Cozart were placed on probation for one year on their guilty plea to a petit larceny charge and Jess Leithleiter, charged with vagrancy, following his plea of guilty, was placed on probation for six months.

To Appear on Television  
Program at Indianapolis

Mrs. Kathryn Griffith of Carbondale and Rev. Louis Youngs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Youngs, Harrisburg, will appear over television station WFBM, Channel 6, today from 6 p. m. to 6:30 p. m. on the TV Work Shop from Butler university in Indianapolis, Ind.

Rev. Youngs is pastor of a local church in Indianapolis.

Watchful Washington

The Washington Elm, near the Senate wing of the United States Capitol, survived until 1948. Under it, Washington is said to have watched construction of the Capitol.

The U. S. flag has had its present arrangement of stars since 1912.

IT HAPPENED IN SOUTHERN ILLINOIS:

## More of the Billie Potts Legend

By JOHN W. ALLEN

Southern Illinois University

Young Willie Potts succeeded in only half of the surprise he had planned to give to his mother and father. That half-success, however, cost him his life. Even though his plan was only partially successful, it did leave one of the strange stories that enrich the lore of Hardin county.

Willie Potts, Junior, was the son of William Potts who kept an early-day tavern in Hardin county at the northern end of the old roadway known as the Ford's Ferry Road; sunken portions of which may still be seen at places on the west side of Illinois Highway 1 at places south of the Saline river.

Potts' Tavern apparently was well kept, comfortable and was conveniently located. Because it was so, many travellers stopped there. In fact more guests stopped at the tavern than left it. For many it was the end of the trail and the point where some travellers disappeared.

The roadway between this tavern in Hardin county and one operated by James Ford some twenty miles south of it, and in Kentucky, was long noted for the robberies and murders committed along it. The members of a band of robbers or highwaymen who operated along about these taverns, obviously looking for likely victims. Among these loiterers was young Willie Potts, who might then have been termed an amateur in crime.

One day Willie decided to try his lone hand at robbery and began to look about for a promising prospect.

According to one version of the story, he found such a prospect when he overtook a prosperous appearing traveller going from the ferry on the Ohio toward Pott's Tavern. Riding along with the stranger, young Potts decided upon a bold course. He would shoot the companion. When he attempted to do so, however, the alert and suspicious stranger beat him to the draw. Potts, according to reports, was shot in the shoulder, and rode wildly away to his father's tavern.

According to a second version that appears to be the more valid one, Willie met the stranger and held him up at the point of a pistol. While Potts was in the process of committing the crime, two nearby farmers came upon the scene, observed the robbery and decided to report it to the proper authorities. With this prospect of a conflict with the law, William Potts and James Ford, fearing exposure of their workings, decided that it would be well for Willie to leave the country. He did so.

After a number of years during which he had evidently plied his trade with success in other regions, a very different appearing Willie decided that he could safely pay a visit to the scenes of his boyhood. Young Potts, who had left home as a gangling youth, was now a large man and would not be readily recognized. He had also grown a heavy dark beard that added to the difficulty of recognition.

Member of the gang with which young Potts had once operated observed the apparent prosperity of the stranger who appeared at Ford's Tavern in Kentucky. One

of the group to whom he had revealed his identity informed the others that the stranger was their old confederate, Willie Potts. Hence, the plan to rob him was dropped and he was welcomed back by the group.

The next day young Potts went on his way to his father's tavern at the northern end of the road, arriving there late in the afternoon. Neither the mother nor father recognized the stranger as their son. Willie enjoyed the success of his plan and decided to wait until the morning to tell them who he was. He and the elder Potts sat talking until bedtime.

Young Potts, being thirsty, asked for a drink of fresh water. His father, as was his custom, suggested that they go to the nearby spring for a drink. When they reached it, young Potts knelt, placed his hands upon the stones as he had done so often in earlier years, leaned forward and began to drink. The elder Potts, seeing the opportunity that the situation offered, drew a long dagger that he always carried, and quickly plunged it into the unsuspecting drinker's back, just below the left shoulder blade. Young Potts died at once.

The father took the large roll of bills that his victim carried. Further search did not reveal any means of identifying the dead man. Potts removed the body of his victim to a nearby hillside and placed it in a shallow grave that he dug there. He then returned to the tavern, informed his wife that he had made a successful haul and went to bed. By his standards it had been a successful day.

The next morning some of the gang with whom his son had once operated came to the tavern from Ford's place in Kentucky. They had come to celebrate the return

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of their former associate. When the new arrivals inquired concerning Willie the mother and father were puzzled. They thought that a joke was being played and appeared to resent it. Further questioning and a description of the one sought aroused grave anxiety in both Potts and his wife. They began to fear that the stranger of the night before was their son.

Upon the departure of the puzzled visitors, Potts and his wife took a spade, went to the newly-made grave and began to remove the dirt from over the body. Their consternation and remorse may be imagined when the body was uncovered and a careful examination revealed the tell-tale birthmark, a dark figure shaped like a four leaved clover and often referred to as "the lucky mark" on his left wrist, just above the point of the dagger had pierced through. Potts had killed his own son.

Many of the stories of happenings at Potts' tavern never were satisfactorily explained. Much of the mystery still clings about the site of the old tavern. This one concerning the death of Willie Potts did not become generally known until after the death of the elder Potts.

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